

MARCH 2018

End of Spring Term

It is with great pleasure that I welcome Mrs Shaw back from her maternity leave after Easter. She will return to work for four days a week in the first instance. I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all the support you have given me over the past two terms. I have really enjoyed leading the school; it has been an honour to do so. I would also like to thank Mrs Dunnachie and Mrs Good for all their additional support. I will now return to teaching in the Foundation Stage.

As we near the end of the spring term, I would like to thank all of the parents for their brilliant support this term. We have managed to raise more than £700 for different causes and the children have had a brilliant term of learning.

We would like to wish all of our children and parents a Happy Easter. The school will reopen on Monday 9th April.

Parent's Suggestion Box

Thank you for the comment in the parent's suggestion box. It is with these comments that we can help to improve the school. If you are unaware of where it is, please ask a member of office staff to show you.

Parent's Evening

Thank you to all who attended, we had a fantastic turn out. Unfortunately due to this increased up take some teachers ran behind time. It is very difficult to stick to such a short time slot when we have such a lot of important things to say. We would like to apologise for any inconvenience caused and we will look to see how we can improve this in the future. Please remember if you have any issues you can always make an appointment with your child's class teacher.

Purchasing School Uniform

The schools website now has a link with our uniform supplier Price and Buckland where you can buy uniform directly. The link for this is www.pbparentsonline.co.uk/marfleet and will be on the school website in the top left corner.

You will be able to purchase uniform and have it delivered home or to the school.

ASDA Token Scheme

Thank you for your support so far! We have been nominated again in the Hessle Road ASDA, so if you shop there or know people that do, please pass on the word and show us your support with your green tokens from the till. See www.asdafoundation.org/green-token-giving for more information.

Parent Pay

Due to parental feedback we will shortly be introducing a new electronic payment app, Parent Pay. This will replace SchoolGateway and allow your child to book their meal option in advance. There will be more information coming out after Easter to enable you to register you on the new system.

Safeguarding – MarvellousMe

Following today's reports in the newspaper about bomb threats, we would remind parents of the process we have in place in this type of situation. Please ensure you are all signed up to MarvellousMe as this is our fastest way of contacting you.

- Evacuate school if appropriate.
- Contact emergency services.
- Contact parents to collect children.

Please ensure you inform the office if you need a new log on code for MarvellousMe.

Contact Details

After Easter we will be sending out letters on a class by class basis to ask you to check that the details we hold on file for your child are correct. If you have any queries please speak to the office.

Important Dates for Your Diary

- Year 5 and 6 will have their Growing Up Talks on Tuesday 20th March – this was rearranged due to the power cut in school. If you have any questions regarding this please speak to a member of staff.
- The Rock Challenge performance date is Thursday 22nd March – we wish them well.
- The Easter church services will be on Friday 23rd March – Parents are welcome to attend, FS and KS1 will be from 1:30pm. KS2 will be from 2:15pm.
- The school breaks up for the 2 week Easter break on Friday 23rd March and we return to school Monday 9th April.
- The school will be taking part in Sport Relief. Due to the poor weather, we will be arranging this after the Easter break.

Free School Meals

On 1st April, there will be changes to eligibility for free school meals. Please make sure you fill in a free school meals form and return it to the school office by Friday 23rd March. Miss Boughton and Miss Hunt will be on the playground to assist in completing the forms if needed.

OUR LEARNING IN PICTURES...



EYFS had their wedding on Monday 19th March – here are the bride Matilda and the maid of honour Poppy.



Year 1 have been painting volcanos whilst learning about their Dinosaur topic.



Year 2 have had lots of fun dressing up as Victorians.



Year 3 and Year 4 are going to a Samba competition this week – they are doing brilliantly with their music.